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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

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which is:

an ☐ Original; or

a ☐ Continuation, ☒ Divisional, or ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior U.S. Patent Application No. 10/210,695, filed August 1, 2002; which is a
divisional application of U.S. Patent No. 6,427,948 B1, filed August 11, 2000.

Anticipated Group/Art Unit: 1724 or Class , Subclass .

☐ This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No.
, filed .

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 18 pages.
- ☒ 13 sheets of drawings (formal).
- ☐ Application Data Sheet.
- ☐ Newly executed/unexecuted Declaration (original/copy).
- ☒ Copy of Declaration from prior application.
- ☐ Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).
- ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
- ☐ Computer readable copy ☐ Paper Copy ☐ Verified Statement.
- ☐ Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention
- ☒ Name of Assignee: **Hamilton Beach/Proctor-Silex, Inc.**
- ☐ Certified copy(ies) of Application No(s). filed is/are filed:
☐ herewith or ☐ in prior application .
- ☐ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under
37 C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern,
or ☐ a Non-Profit Organization.
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A.
- ☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)
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